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Applicant: CHAPLIN, et al.  
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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action dated 7 November 2007 concerning the above-referenced patent application. With the enclosed Request for Three-Month Extension of Time, this response is timely, being submitted on or before the extended due date of 7 May 2008.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 21 of this document.